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WHY WE ARE ASKING FOR A "YES" VOTE ON MAY 19th ELECTION

RECREATION FACTS

If Funds are Not Voted, the County will sell the entire Recreation Building and Grounds, and the money will go into the County Treasury!

Brisbane will lose all this and no Recreation Center or Recreation activities will be possible.

Your children deserve a Recreation Program on a full time basis all year long. A program directed by trained Recreation supervisors who know the interests of boys and girls of all age groups.

In 1949, the Supervisors of San Mateo County voted to do away with Recreation in unincorporated areas. The support for the present Recreation Program ends June 30th of this year.

Knowing that a Recreation Program is so badly needed in Brisbane, the School Board asked the Supervisors to give to Brisbane Recreation Building and Grounds. PROVIDING the public would VOTE FUNDS to keep the program going. In asking for the Recreation Center Building and Grounds as a gift to Brisbane, the School Board asked for a great deal. The Board of Supervisors, meeting in the Brisbane School Auditorium on February 27th, with members of various community organizations. definitely committed themselves to providing a Recreation Building and all facilities cuch as we now have. The value of this committment to provide a building and grounds is in excess of $65,000.

Our next step now is to get a new Recreation program going by July 1, 1950.

THIS WILL ONLY BE POSSIBLE IF YOU VOTE "YES" ON MAY 19th. SO THAT FUNDS MAY BE RAISED TO SUPPORT THE NEW PROGRAM.

BRISBANE SCHOOL FACTS

The Brisbane School Building and equipment is valued $250,000.

The actual cost to the Brisbane Taxpayer was only $23,000 in Bonds voted in 1934. for a 4 room building. The banlance of improvements have been met in two ways:

1. By applying for and receiving Federal Money to construct 8 additional classrooms. This was done in 1939 and 1941.

2. By saving as much money each year as we could and building up a small reserve over a period of years.

This reserve has now been entirely used for the following:

a. Higher costs of school materials.

b. More children to buy materials for due to increased enrollment.

c. 2 new classrooms in 1949 to take care of the growing enrollment.

d. Furniture and equipment for new classrooms.

e. Keeping building in repair.

f. Increased operating and maintenance costs.

In 1935 we had 67 children in school. In 1949-1950 we have 473 children in school.

All money received from the State of California is used to pay Teachers' Salaries. Salaries are not paid by funds raised from local school taxes.

Local funds are used entirely for your children in their education.

FINANCE

We will, from now on, be using every available dollar to just barely operate the school. We w ill not be able to save any money to build up a reserve to meet any emergency. We can not save any money to purchase new equipment when, in the future, a new School will be built.

In other words, we are trying to operate the school, buy materi-

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HOME TOWN FOLKS

Don't forget to save the 19th or 20th of May to see the "Sawing Bee," a magnificent production of the Brisbane Community Players. Cast includes many well known people who will surprise you with their histrionic ability. The corn grows tall and is really green. Its funny and good. Proceeds will be donated to the Brisbane Scout Troop.

BEARDS! WHISKERS! JEANS!

If you have a horse, or a mule, or a nice buggy with the fringe on top. get it out and dust it up for the Wild West Days that will time machine us back to the Frontier years, on June 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

There will be a Girl Scout Court of Awards and Brownie Fly-up, Wednesday eve., May 24, at the school auditorium at 7:30 p. m.

Visitacion City Water Company received its first shipment of new six-inch pipe to be installed as soon as the balance of the first order is delivered. It is intended that this pipe will be installed during this month and more new pipe will be installed during the months ahead

Fred Linde who has lived in Brisbane for thirty-five years, and during that time watched Brisbane grow from four homes to about 800 homes today, and he has never seen Brisbane burned out by any fire during that time, in fact there has never been any rebuilding of Brisbane for any reason from the time it was part of a large Spanish land grant and California belonged to Mexico.

SCHOOL SCRIPT

(This is the first in a series of school news articles submitted monthly to the Brisbane Parent Teacher Association by students of the Brisbane Elementary School. The unit wishes to thank the students and faculty for their cooperation.

To climax a study of Europe, Mrs. Sullivan's seventh grade is planning a trip to the De Young Museum and Palace of the Legion of Honor on May 17th. Among the things they plan to view are various European works of art, including Queen Mary's Rug.

Mrs. Duley's third grade has just completed the construction of a fire engine in connection with their unit—"Community Helpers."

The assembly program for May 12th was Miss Nelson's second and third grades. Their theme was "Indian Life." The class prepared their own costumes for an Indian dance, while other members played the tom-toms.

Miss Hall's fourth grade is doing some interesting work in art, including black and white drawings of dogs, which are pets of pupils in that room. The owner and the pet pose as models on the reading table in front of the room. One of the most interesting. so far, has been Ceasar, a Great Dane.

Two of the classrooms presented their regular assembly program at the Brisbane P. T. A meeting on April 27th.

—Ann Hodges, reporter,
8th Grade
Brisbane Elementary School.

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A "YES VOTE ON MAY 19th

als, pay bills. on the same amount of money as we did years ago. It isn't possible to do this in your own home. **You Can Not Live On The Same Amount of Money You Did 10 Years Ago. It is Not Possible in the School Either.**

We can keep ourselves in good financial position by adding 75c to the school tax to take care of School needs and the Recreation Program. This would only add $7.50 per year to the average home owner's tax. but would bring in sufficient funds to maintain a full recreation program and meet the growing cost of operating the School.

75% of the Money Raised Would Be Paid by the Large Industrial Concerns and Utilities Included In The School District.

25% Would Come From Brisbane Itself.

Comparative Tax-Rates of Elementary School Districts in San Mateo County.

Tax For School Purposes only — Recreation Tax is Not Included in These Cities, but is Paid on a City Tax

City	School Tax Rate		School Bond Rate
Burlingame	$1.87	Will vote Bonds in May	
Belmont	$1.50	Will ask for $2.00 in May	$ .48
Menlo Park	$1.15		$ .33
San Carlos	$2.00		$ .24
San Mateo	$2.26		$ .19
Ravenswood	$2.42		$ .27
Redwood City	$1.50		$ .29
Hillsborough	$ .91	Will ask for $1.50, also voting bonds	$ .30
Brisbane	$ .91	Asks for 75c increase for School and Recreation.	$ .02

The above shows how other Elementary School Districts realizing the needs of their schools, have voted to take care of their children.

CAN THE PARENTS OF BRISBANE CHILDREN FAIL IN THIS NEED??

BAYSHORE BOTTLENECK

San Francisco Daily News

EDITOR: Recently I saw your editorial approving the breaking up of the so called bottleneck on Bayshore Highway by putting in two more lanes between the city limits and South San Francisco. This sounds fine but will cause more head-on collisions than before, unless the north and south bound lanes are separated.

I travel this stretch every day and it seems to me the traffic light at the Brisbane intersection is the chief offender in slowing down traffic. Two automobiles, one making a left turn out and one making a left hand turn into Brisbane can slow up quite a number of other cars.

My suggestion is to eliminate these two left hand turns. Underneath the hill north of Brisbane is a tunnel which could be used to change these left hand turns into simple right hand turns needing no traffic light.

The state could lease the needed ground and the tunnel for a lot less than the temporary widening of the present highway would cost.

While I am on the subject of slowing down traffic a few more signs telling slow moving traffic to keep to the right might help.

— Charles F. Wehking
873 - 7th Ave

STATE TO WIDEN BAYSHORE HIGHWAY

Bids Planned to Break Bottleneck

The bottleneck on Bayshore Highway from South San Francisco north to Geneva Ave. will be eliminated as soon as possible by the State Highway Commission, State Senator Harry L. Parkman of San Mateo County declared recently.

Senator Parkman said he had been informed the commission today will vote to advertise for bids on the job, which would add two lanes to the present four lane roadway.

The widening of this three-mile stretch would be an emergency measure to relieve traffic congestion until the Bayshore Freeway is constructed to replace this stretch.

DIRECT PRIMARY ELECTION - JUNE 6th, 1950

Notice by County Clerk of Time and Place of the Direct Primary and Charter Amendment Speialc Election, Consolidated Therewith, Designating Polling Places and Naming Precinct Officers

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN hat a Direct Primary and County Charter Amendment Special Election, consolidated therewith will be eld throughout the County of an Mato, State of California, on uesday. June 6, 1950, for the urpose of submitting to the vote f the qualified electors of said ounty the names of canddates for ertain offices and party Central ommittees, also State and County Propositions; pursuant to law Proclamation of the Governor and order of the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that at said Election the Polls will be open from the hour of 7 o'clock A. M. to the hour of 7 o'clock P. M. on the day thereof and that during said hours said Election will be held at the legally designated Polling places in each Precinct in said County as hereinafter set forth and that the following named persons have been appointed to serve as Precinct Officers in their respective precincts, to wit;

FIRST DISTRICT

BRISBANE No. 1

Polling Place: American Legion Hall, 250 Visitacion Ave.

NSPECTOR:	Mrs. Freda A. Pistohl	45 Solano St.
UDGE:	Mrs. Lorene Harris	161 Monterey St.
UDGE:	Mrs. Martha Adkisson	102 Solana St.
LERK:	Mrs. Mary F. Rowak	451 Mariposa St.
LERK:	Mrs. Olive M. Emerson	482 Mendocino St.
LERK:	Mrs. Alicia L. Geist	409 Klamath St.

BRISBANE No. 2

Polling Place: Van Kirk Residence. 277 Humboldt Rd.

NSPECTOR:	Mrs. Thelma I. Van Kirk	277 Humboldt Rd.
UDGE:	Mrs. May R. Doyle	236 Sierra Point Rd.
UDGE:	Mrs. Byron Jensen	262 Kings Rd.
LERK:	Mrs. Ada P. Jorgensen	70 Sierra Point Rd.
LERK:	Mrs. Edith L. Childress	10 Lehning Way
LERK:	Mrs. S. Jane Fitting	201 Trinity Rd.

BRIISBANE No. 3

Polling Place: Recreation Center, Visitacion and Old County Rd.

NSPECTOR:	Mrs. Anita L. Lummus	432 Mariposa St.
UDGE:	Mrs. Elizabeth A. Brenzel	320 Mendocino St.
UDGE:	Mrs. Eleanor B. Saunders	678 Humboldt Rd.
LERK:	Mrs. Beth E. May	18 San Bruno Ave.
LERK:	Mrs. Florence Gribble	335 Mariposa St.
LERK:	Mrs. Eva G. McDowell	457 Sierra Point Rd.

BRISBANE No. 4

Polling Plaec: Fire House, San Bruno Ave.

CTOR:	Mrs. Mabel C. Ross	100 Ross Way
DGE:	Mrs. Dorothy L. Parrish	11000 Humboldt Rd.
UDGE:	Mrs. Monica H. Vandiver	624 Sierra Point Rd.
LERK:	Mrs. Edith H. Johnson	31 Glen Parkway
LERK:	Mrs. Stella MacCary	157 Lake St.
LERK:	Mrs. Mary B. Thompson	357 Humboldt Rd.

BRISBANE No. 5

Polling Place: Beal Basement, 107 Mariposa St.

SPECTOR:	Mrs. Thelma M. Tyler	484 Sierra Point Rd.
UDGE:	Mrs. Mary I. Devlin	125 Alvarado St.
UDGE:	Mrs. Estella A. Smith	112 Monterey St.
LERK:	Mrs. Gladys L. Record	172 San Bruno Ave.
LERK:	Mrs. Wilma J. Beal	107 Mariposa St.
LERK:	Mrs. Anna L. Martin	62 Mono St.

BRISBANE No. 6

Polling Place: Brisbane School, El Dorado St.

NSPECTOR:	Mrs. Marie Sudderath	245 San Benito Rd.
UDGE:	Mrs. Hazel D. Hosking	879 Humboldt Rd.
UDGE:	Mrs. Kathryne C. Prease	275 San Benito Rd.
CLERK:	Mrs. Agnes H. Whitson	222 San Benito Rd.
CLERK:	Mrs. Maxine B. Mills	502 San Bruno Ave.
CLERK:	Miss Loise Mu. Terry	29 San Benito Rd.

BRISBANE No. 7

Polling Place: Tikkanen Residence: 81 San Benito Rd.

INSPECTOR:	Mrs. Myrtle B. Tikkanen	81 San Benito Rd.
JUDGE:	Mrs. Minnie C. Huber	525 Alvarado St.
JUDGE:	Mrs. Marie V. Hubrig	195 San Benito Rd.
CLERK:	Mrs. Helen T. Brady	375 Klamath St.
CLERK:	Mrs. Ellen V. Frank	560 Alvarado St.
CLERK:	Mrs. Beatrice Carrigan	104 San Benito Rd.

JUDGE RAPSEY COMMENDED BY COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Through the unstinting efforts of Judge Rudolph Rapsey, the Recreational Center, located at the foot of Visitacion Avenue has been saved for the Brisbane Elementary School District. The way now clear so that the school district may acquire absolute title to the Center without any cost to the district. This is most important to the whole community of Brisbane because it is the only recreational site in the entire town.

Judge Rapsey rendered his services gratuitously. He has been highly praised by Pansy Jewett Abbott, County Superintendent of Schools. Miss Abbott wrote Judge Rapsey as follows:

Dear Judge:

I understand that you took of your time and gave the Brisbane Elementary School District legal advice to aid them in solving the problem concerning recreation.

As County Superintendent of Schools, I recognize the fine service you have rendered to public education and I am deeply grateful to you for helping the board of trustees and the superintendent. It is such gracious acts of citizens which contribute to the well-being of the children in the schools of San Mateo County. You have been understanding in your offers of aid during all the years I have known you.

Cordially yours,
PANSY JEWETT ABBOTT
County Superintendent of Schools.

JOSEPHINE PETRON FOLK DANCER

by Francis Anton

interfered with this . . he was tall . . so sweet . . the way he held her . . and he always brought her a flower. Then one night Virginia saw them dancing GUSTAV SKOAL . . they were near the door. Between each bow and dance . . Jo would walk over to the desk and toss something down . . then he would pick it up . . it was a white begonia . . all through the dance the flower was beaten and retrieved. At the end of the dance he pinned the begonia on Virginia. I brought this for Josephine . . but she insists you have it . . Virginia wore the brown, beaten begonia that night . . but she never forgave Josephine.

CHAPTER VII
ROMANCE FOR JOSEPHINE
THOU ART BECOME A TINKLING CYMBAL OR SOUNDING BRASS . . Josephine had come to the conclusion long ago there was something missing in her make-up . . she never found a man she liked . . in fact she was not even interested. When Kit called her a cold fish she felt hurt . . Virginia said she was fickle. . Jo grieved inwardly . . but Mary knew that Jo was a one-man woman . . and Heaven help her if she ever found the one man.

One day Josephine's boy-friend . . who loved his liquor as much as he hated Folk-dancing . . approached her . . Your horoscope for today in the SKY GAZER of the BULL CALLITIN says you are going to have a romance.

Josephine stopped reading . . got a far away look in her eyes . . trying to remember the different Folk-dancers. Cary in LACES AND GRACES . . face to face . . back to back . . they came down the homestretch like a couple of bucking broncos . . Gil in MEITCIE PUTZ DI slapped her hands so hard she cringed . . Mr. Belton in COTTON-EYED JOE . . it left her feet black and blue . . yet he was such a gentleman . . and there was Wilber . . his spongy squeezes . . she suspected he had a wife in the back-ground . . the way he breathed down her neck . . always sniffing . . and Zeke in the HAMBO . . like dancing with a kangaroo . . Jo sought refuge on the fire-escape.

She could honestly face Raymond . . tell him sincerely that she cared only for him . . and she did in her own way.

The following week Raymond read the SKY GAZER again . . Your horoscope in the BULL CALLITIN for today says you are going to have the romance of your life.

Jo put down her book . . Folk-

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Guest Speaker, John Greenlund

Sunday School	9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship,	11:00 A. M.
Youth Groups	6:30 P. M.
Evening Service	7:30 P. M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday,	7:30 P. M.

Bethel Baptist Church
Edward Lane, Pastor
Temporary Location, Basement
372 San Bruno Avenue

Sunday School -	9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship,	11:00 A. M.
Training Union -	6:15 P. M.
Evening Service	7:30 P. M.
Mid-week Prayer Service Wednesday	7:30 P. M.

A Cordial Welcome to All Services

Church of the Nazarene
Mono and Klamath Sts.
D. E. Bachelor, Pastor

Services Sunday:

Sunday School	9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship	11:00 A. M.
Young People's Meeting at	6:45 P. M.
Evangelistic Service	7:45 P. M.

Wednesday at 7:45 P. M.: Prayer Meeting.

Catholic Mission Chapel
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Church Services attended by Clergy of Visitacion Parish, San Francisco

Masses - Sunday	10:00 A. M.
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THOMAS L. BOCCI, Jr.

Thomas L. Bocci, Jr., candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace has, in an open letter to the Brisbane Bulletin announced that if elected he will see to it that this juidicial office is dedicated to the needs of the community of Brisbane, as well as the other various cities of the First Township. Brisbane has always been more or less neglected by our county officials, and like the other of our northern communities of San Mateo County, has become looked upon as the orphans of the county. Mr. Bocci, who has been born and raised in the north end of the county feels that this is unfair to Brisbane, as well as the other northern end cities, and he has dedicated his platform to better representation for the people of the north end communities, including Brisbane.

Mr. Bocci has devoted a great deal of time to the problem of juvenile delinquency, particularly in Daly City, Bayshore City and Brisbane. He has written a series of articles on the subject of child delinquency which were recently published in the several nwspapers of this area. Mr. Bocci feels that the holder of this office should be active in the civic affairs of the community, and that by so doing, the weight of this juidicial office can lend some help in the problems that now exist with regard to our children.

Mr. Bocci's sponsors in Brisbane include John DeMarco, the Mozzetti brothers, Louis Terry and various private citizens of the community. Mr. Bocci has been especially endorsed for this office by Judge John J. Fahey, Jr., who held the office prior to his resignation January 1, 1950, and who also indicated a great interest in the people of Brisbane, having served them well during his two terms of the office.

SUPERVISOR MARTIN A. POSS

The county-wide campaign in support of the re-election of Supervisor Martin A. Poss, moved into high gear this week with the announcement by Hugh A. Wayne co-chairman of Poss' campaign committee, that the incumbent supervisor is scheduled to make more than a dozen appearances during the next 7 days before civic and club groups throughout the county.

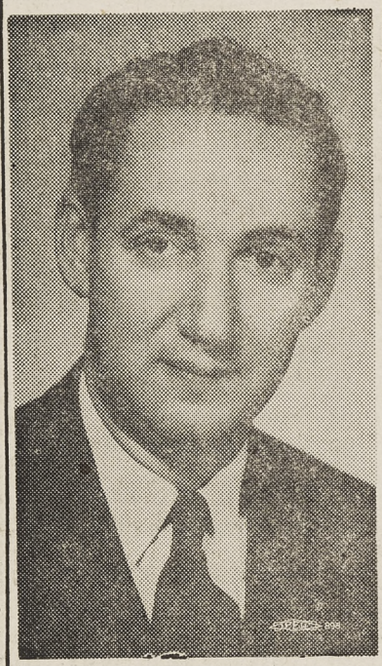
Poss' long and distinguished record as a public official, Wayne said, merits the support of county voters in the forthcoming June balloting. Wayne pointed out that Poss' activities in county and city projects during his more than 35 years of community service has aided immeasurably in the growth and development of the entire peninsula area.

A former businessman himself, Poss has always insisted that county administration be done on the same strict "full dollar value" basis as that of private enterprise.

He has the firm belief, that all decisions concerning the county should be arrived at only after determining how they affect the county as a whole.

Having never pledged himself to any group or faction, Supervisor Poss feels that he is always free to use his best judgement on all county government matters.

JOROSLOW FOR ASSEMBLYMAN



Charging that his opponent, Assemblman Richard J. Dolwig incumbent Republican, was hiding his "do-nothing" record behind a ast minute political smoke screen of committee activities, Jerry Joroslow, Democratic candidate for Assemblyman from San Mateo County, today stated that the "unaltered" transcript of such a meeting held last week in San Mateo would prove how Dolwig was squandering the State tax funds o help re-elect himself.

Joroslow revealed that he had attended this Assembly committee meeting, at which the incumbent had acted as chairman, and had been amazed at the helplessness which the committee confessed to in trying to get things done for San Mateo County with regard to completion of the Bayshore Freeway.

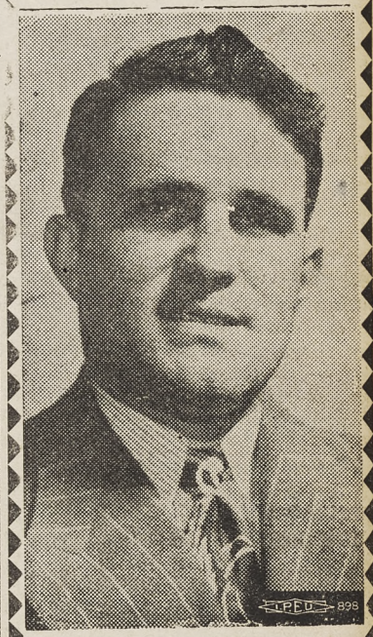
"Dolwig's committee stated that hey had coferred with State Division of Highways officials in Sacramento but could do nothing with them or obtain any data from hem," said Joroslow. "On the ther hand, a representative of the Division of Highways testified at his same meeting that, not only ad his division been cooperative ut even had submitted all the acts and figures in Sacramento hich Dolwig's committee stated t had been unable to get. To put mildly, someone is mistaken.

"By their own statements made t this meeting, "continued Joroslow, "Dolwig's committee admitted their inability to do anything. hese admissions were reported the San Mateo Times and the urlingame Advance by experienced reporters. If this is the case, hy then is Dolwig wasting State x funds to pay the expenses of ch hearings?

"I urge those sincere representatives of our county such as Francis . Raymond, Thomas F. McGuiran and Arthur J.Sullivan," said oroslow, "who worked hard to repare and present factual reorts to Dolwig's committee, to tudy the transcript of this meeting and not allow themselves to e deluded by false promises and hony committee activities which, o date, have produced only rumbs" for the citizens of San ateo County."

Joroslow recommended that ivic leaders continue to press the ssues by appealing directly to the overnor for action and by themelves presenting facts and figures o the State Division of Highways hich will hold public hearings to et up next year's allocations. "If nother law is needed," concluded oroslow, "directing use of funds or highway construction in critical areas such as San Mateo County, let's elect legislators who will get such laws introduced and passed and not wait another two years to hear excuses again from legislators who are not doing a good job.

ELECT ATTORNEY
THOMAS L. BOCCI



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INSIDE P. T. A. - - - - - BRISBANE UNIT

Meeting Highlights: An endorsement of the recreation program proposed by the Brisbane school board was given by the Brisbane P. T. A. at its recent meeting. The unit also will take an active part in urging citizens to support the measure, which will be submitted to the voters May 19 . . . Miss Natalie Lipman. school superintendent, gave a resume of the proposal and spoke of the future plans for a more diversified recreation program . . . At the business meeting, conducted by Mrs. Roy Edwards, president, it was voted to provide funds for the re-registration fee of Girl Scout Troop 1, sponsored by the unit. Members also approved a recommendation that a person be employed to supervise the children of members during P.T.A meetings throughout the year . . . The chairmen for the year were ratified.

Profiles: Miss Natalie Lipman, Brisbane School superintendent . . . Born in San Francisco and a resident of Burlingame . . . A graduate of the University of Nevada, she also did graduate work at S. F. State College, Stanford, and U. C. . . Came to Brisbane in 1932 to teach in the one-room schoolhouse. was principal of the present school in 1936, and was appointed superintendent in 1945. In addition to her scholastic duties, Miss Lipman raises champion English Springers, trains them for field and bench, and acts as judge at dog shows . . Miss Lois Barry. principal of Brisbane School and a native San Franciscan . . . A graduate of S. F. State College, she also did graduate work at Stanford and U. C. . . Has been at Brisbane School since February, 1939 and became principal in 1945. . . Photography is her hobby and during her travels, including trips to the Hawaiian Islands, Mexico, Yellowstone, and Yosemite. she has taken numerous pictures, which have been shown to Brisbane students.

Out Of The Past: . . May 25, 1934: Brisbane merchants held a dance to raise funds for playground equipment. $52.50 was given to the P. T. A. for this purpose. Mrs. Fred Coffin, president . . . May, 1937: The Brisbane P. T. A. planted a tree on the school grounds in honor of the late Richard Earhart, a gentleman who did much to improve the school and the community.

The Bulletin Board: Exercise your privilege as an American citizen and don't forget to VOTE MAY 19th . . The P. T. A. executive board will meet Tuesday, May 23, at 10:30 a. m. in the school auditorium . . . And on May 25, at 2 p. m. will be the regular monthly P. T. A. meeting. This will be the last meeting until fall and fun is promised.

SNAX KRAX

By F. E. B.

POISON OAK REMEDY . Apply vaseline . . sulphur.

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SCEPTIC TANKS . . For certain activity . . toss in two yeast cakes.

LO THAT BEAUTY TOUCH . CHAMOMILE TEA for that hair rinse . . soft . lovely.

HEALTH ITEM . . Bitter tea made from carrot-tops . . remedy for ulcers.

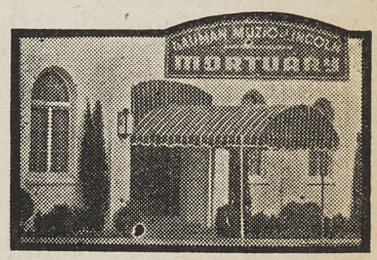
SAN MATEO COUNTY FAIR AND FLORAL FIESTA

The San Mateo County Fair and Floral Fiesta has again secured the services of that well known landscape architect, Jack Gibson, who has designed the Fair and Floral Fiesta for the past two years.

Gibson received a high award at the recent California Spring Garden show for his design of an outdoor garden. He has had many of his designs featured in Sunset Magazine during recent months.

Plans for the 16th annual Fair and Floral Fiesta are in the final stages and will be almost a complete transformation from the more recent shows. This year's show designed around the theme of "Fairyland" has the promise of being one of San Mateo's most outstanding Fiestas.

William M. Wilson, manager, states that excellent response has been received from the early bulletins mailed out to trade space exhibitors. All indications point to an early reservation of at least all the select spots and there is a great possibility that the trade space will soon be sold out completely to allow the management to spend more of its time on other details of the show.



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REPORT TO THE RESIDENTS OF BRISBANE

By The Brisbane County Water District

As a local public body elected by you and established to solve Brisbane's Water problems, the directors of the Brisbane County Water District wish here to report to you the latest development of the District. The directors believe that such a report from time to time is the best way to assure responsible democratic government responsible to the wishes and needs of the residents of Brisbane.

At the special session of the California Legislature just ended, an act (Assembly Bill No. 107) reincorporated the District and giving to the Water District the power to issue revenue bonds to finance an adequate water system. was passed. It was signed by the Governor on April 21st.

This new law provides that upon approval by a majority of the voters, the District may issue REVENUE BONDS to pay for construction of a modern, adequate water supply system. This democratic way of majority rule thus assures that the voters of Brisbane shall make the final decision on improvements for the area. Twice already a majority of the voters here have approved the financing of a new water system. But the law then in effect allowed the District to issue only bonds that were repaid through taxes, and such bonds required approval of two-thirds of the voting.

The new law provides that revenue bonds may be issued on a MAJORITY VOTE. The Legislature years ago determined that since such bonds are not a tax burden to you and allow improvements to be repaid through water revenues in a businesslike manner, a majority rather than the difficult-to - obtain two-thirds vote would be sufficient.

Revenue bonds are repaid only through water rates. They cannot affect your taxes. Reasonable water rates in an efficient new water system here will mor than provide a sufficient sum to repay revenue bonds, which can be issued in an amount and for a water system that the District heretofore could not have reasonably obtained by the tax bond method.

The directors report the passage of this law to you because of the tremendous opportunity it offers for Brisbane to make progress in getting adequate water for fire protection, domestic supply, better property values, bigger business. and better living for all of Brisbane. The directors are now studying an early election for the voters of Brisbane to express themselves on this valuable grant of power to Brisbane We would appreciate your giving serious thought to the advisability of the District issuing revenue bonds to finance a unified water system for Brisbane.

Very truly yours,
Board of Directors
BRISBANE COUNTY
WATER DISTRICT.

JEFFERSON P. T. A.

Attending the State convention of the Parent Teachers Association in Santa Cruz were: Mrs. M F. Jensen, president of Jefferson High School and Mrs. Freda Pistohl. historian. who were with the group of delegates from the Brisbane Elementary School.

Notes of the different conferences were exchanged giving each delegate the opportunity to acquire all the convention had to offer in reports to the units in P. T. A. growth and instruction. The High School organization was new and greatly appreciated.

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HENRY HALL FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

Henry C. Hall, present assistant county school superintendent, will have the active support of a county-wide group of citizens in his bid for election to the office of county school superintendent at the June 6th balloting, according to a statement issued today by Rear Admiral S. B. Johnson, local resident and retired officer, who has taken over the chairmanship of Hall's campaign.

Johnson said that Hall's many years of school service as teacher, principal and school superintendent, makes him singularly qualified to take over the responsibilities of the office where he has served as assistant county superintendent for the past 6 years.

Johnson pointed to Hall's long and distinguished record in the county school system through which he has advanced office by office through his ability as an outstanding educator and capable administrator.

IIt was Johnson's opinion that Hall's experience, background and proven ability, merit the favorable consideration of all county voters at the polls in June when he seeks to be elected to the highest county school position.

Johnson said that Hall's continued interest in bettering educational services has extended beyond the school room. He has held important elective positions in county, state and national teachers' organizations. He is a life member of the 17th district parent teachers' association.

The present assistant school superintendent, according to Johnson,, has also been active in civic affairs as a past-president of the San Bruno Chamber of Commerce and Exchange Club. He has also served on the Red Cross, Boy Scout, Civil Service and Tuberculosis Association committees.

HOMETOWN .NEWS

Mrs. Preston Barnes gave a surprise stork shower on the evening of April 25th for the following guests attending: Mesdames Carl Pueschel, William Manley, Frank Record, Carl Church, N. Moon, Bob McCollum, Gloria Hanchey, Ed. Lane, V. Merritt, V. Hanchey, Kay Barnes, Art Brown, Lena Fuente, Margaret Macks, Pearl Shelton, Myrtle Moon, Winnie Duke, Lois Craig, Frank Huston, Mildred Young, Co-hostesses Mary Madera and Mrs. Ellen Wright of Klamath Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Baswell, of 10 Friends and neighbors of Mrs. Anthony DeMarco gave her a big shower April 23rd at the 23 Club.

Visitacion Avenue are the proud parents of an 8 lb.-8 oz. baby boy, born May 7th.

OSMER B. HEMPSTEAD

County Assessor, O. B. Hempstead's bid for election at the polls on June 6, got underway this week with the formation of a county-wide citizen's committee who will aid in his campaign.

The group, under the chairmanship of Ralph E. McClinton, are actively supporting the present assessor because of his outstanding record during his term in office.

McClinton said that in his opinion Hempstead has fitted well into his important role in county government and has carried on the duties of a particularly difficult public office with honesty and fairness, thereby gaining the respect of local citizens.

Hempstead is a former bank executive who joined the Assessor's office in 1945, and as a result of proven ability was soon elevated to the assistant's post. Upon the death of former assessor, Martin Flynn, Hempstead was appointed head of the department by the unanimous vote of the present Board of Supervisors.

McClinton stated that Hempstead's banking experience, where he specialized in real estate and personal property, plus his five years in the Assessor's department merits the favorable consideration of county voters at the balloting next month.

A partial list of those supporting Hempstead's candidacy include:

R. L. Mangum, P. R. Rorke, A. B. Cargill, J. Ed McClelland, S. D. Merk, L. F. Colagiovanni, Tom Mangner, Wm. W. Gill, A. A. Rochez, Mel. Christie, C. G. Uhlenberg.

Harry Witte, W. H. Doxsee, Harry G. Jenkins, G. H. Stern, Frank E. Allen, Edna M. White, B. J. Rodondi, John C. Degliantoni. Bruce B. McIntyer, Wallace B. Plummer.

Jos. V. Gaffey, Walter T. Brewer, Carl Bessett, Ed S. Shaver. J. B. Howell, J. L. Rose, Jay Lepkos and Stepen P. Tinker.

Getting Back

The head of the bus company called in his new driver.

"You drove a bus all day today," he stormed, "and didn't have one customer. What happened?"

The driver shrugged indifferently. "I just didn't have any passengers, that's all."

"You mean to say no one waved at you?"

"Oh sure," said the driver. "People waved at every corner, but I wouldn't stop for any of them. Why should I? They didn't notice me when III was out of work."

Oh No?

Wife: I think I hear burglars. Are you awake?

Husband - No!

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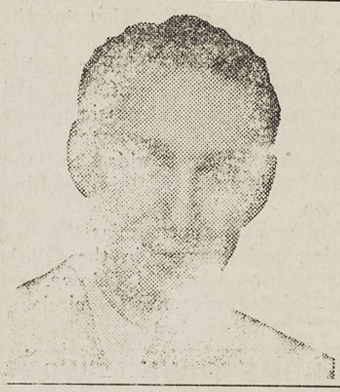

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JEFFERSON P. T. A.

The regular meeting of the Jefferson High School P. T. A. was called to order Thursday, May 11, 7:30 p. m. in the auditorium, by Mrs. M. F. Jensen, president. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and the budget for the coming year was presented and adopted.

Mrs. Jensen reported on the information she received at the High School Organization Conference held recently at hte State P. T. A. convention in Santa Cruz.

A report was given on the profits and proceeds of the Food booth at the May Day Festival by Mrs. Hobbs, chairman of the booth, and a letter of gratitude was written to the fathers who assisted in the construction of the booth.

The sewing class under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Jones, instructress, modeled garments made during the past semester. Music for the modeling was presented by Mr. King Stevens and the High School Orchestra.

Mrs. Wary Benando was announced as the new registration chairman.

The meeting was adjourned for refreshments in the school cafeteria.

BRISBANE RED LETTER EVENT

Heart wrenching - Tear jerking Mellerdrama involving:
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More Later!

HOME TOWN NEWS

At a recent evening ceremony in Redwood City, Audrey Jessup and Melvin McCollum were united in marriage by the Rev. E. L. Lane.

Visiting for a week or more at the Milt Jensen's home on Kings Road is Mrs L. W. Holmberg and Mrs. Robert D. Berkeley, of Los Angeles and Santa Monica.

Acquiring knowledge of the ins and outs of P. T. A. last week at the Santa Cruz convention were Mrs. Roy Edwards, Mrs. Robert Parrish, Mrs. Edward Whitson, Brisbane delegates and Mrs. M. F. Jensen and Mrs. Alfred Pistohl, representing the Jefferson Union High School.

The Rev. Edward Lane and Family are spending a month's vacation visiting friends and relatives in Texas and Oklahoma and will be attending the National Baptist Convention in Chicago, Ill.

Friends of Mrs. William Marquette will be happy to know she is now at home convalescing from a fall that caused serious injury.

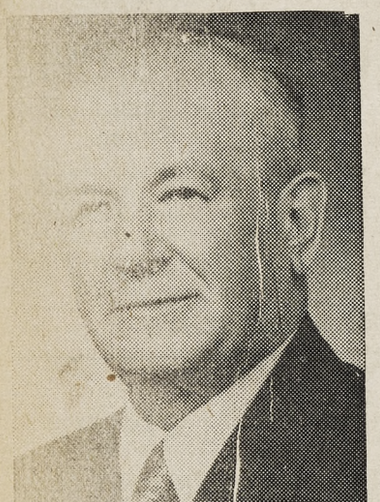
The Brisbane Garden Club held its regular meeting in the home of Mrs. Chester Nail, on Solano St Plans were made for another nursery trip by the group.

Born to Jack and Darlene Yarboroguh a baby daughter 8 and one half pounds. Tuesday, May 2.

WALTER BLAIR POST AMERICAN LEGION

On April 27th, Walter Blair Post No. 9769, V. F. W. installed the following officers: Commander Samuel Cole; Senior vice-commander, Ralph Rumbaugh; Junior vice, (and adjutant), Clinton Corboza; Chaplain, (and Historian), Robert Tompkins; quartermaster, John Carrigan; Post-Advocate, Leon Durham; Surgeon, John Garsmovich; Trustees, Bruce Mehaffey, Chester Mehaffey and Harold Tikkanen. Lillian Lockhart from Palo Alto, assisted by the drill team from Redwood City, conducted the installation of the Auxiliary. Lanore Tikkanen installed Nora Chapman by proxy. Mrs. Vera Blair, mother of the post was presented with a corsage by the men. Officers of the auxiliary exchanged gifts. Colors were presented by Captain Blair and his Rangers.

Anyone who is eligible and interested in joining either the Post or Auxiliary, please contact the commander of the Post. we would love to have you.



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Vote to Re-Elect Judge Rapsey at Election on June 6, 1950

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2. More than 18 years service as a Judge (16 years as City Judge of San Bruno and more than 2 years as Justice of the Peace).	2. No experience as a judge or as a public official in any capacity.
3. Has presided as Judge in more than 7000 cases.	3. No judicial experience (as above)
4. Endorsed bv 54 to 3 vote of San Mateo County Bar Association.	4. Received only 3 votes out of a total of 57.
5. World War I Veteran.	5. Non-Veteran (No War service of any kind.

BY WHICH MAN WOULD YOU BE JUDGED?

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